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1 AMENDMENT TO SENATE BILL 1437

2 AMENDMENT NO. \_\_\_\_\_. Amend Senate Bill 1437 by replacing  
3 everything after the enacting clause with the following:

4 "Section 5. The Illinois Century Network Act is amended by  
5 changing Section 7 and by adding Section 30 as follows:

6 (20 ILCS 3921/7)

7 Sec. 7. Definitions. ~~As Beginning on July 1, 2018, as~~  
8 used in this Act:~~7~~

9 "Anchor ~~anchor~~ institutions" or "community anchor  
10 institutions" means Illinois schools, institutions of higher  
11 education, libraries, museums, research institutions, State  
12 agencies, and units of local government.

13 "End-to-end network" means the entirety of the broadband  
14 network, including both the middle-mile and last-mile network.

15 "Symmetrical service" means service with equal download  
16 and upload speeds.

1 (Source: P.A. 100-611, eff. 7-20-18.)

2 (20 ILCS 3921/30 new)

3 Sec. 30. Dates of completion.

4 (a) Subject to appropriation, the Department of Innovation  
5 and Technology shall connect all prioritized community anchor  
6 institutions to the Illinois Century Network and provide at  
7 least 10 gigabit per second (Gbps) symmetrical service for 80%  
8 of schools, 80% of correctional facilities, and 13% of  
9 libraries and at least 1 Gbps symmetrical service for all  
10 other prioritized connected community anchor institutions by  
11 January 1, 2030. The Department of Innovation and Technology  
12 may accomplish this requirement by either using commercial  
13 providers engaged through a competitive bidding process or by  
14 operating its own network. The Department of Innovation and  
15 Technology shall determine, by rule, which community anchor  
16 institutions are prioritized.

17 (b) Subject to appropriation, the Department of Innovation  
18 and Technology shall own and operate the end-to-end network  
19 and connect all community anchor institutions to the network,  
20 providing at least 10 Gbps symmetrical service for 80% of  
21 schools, 80% of correctional facilities, and 13% of libraries  
22 and at least 1 Gbps symmetrical service for all other  
23 community anchor institutions, by January 1, 2050.

24 Section 99. Effective date. This Act takes effect upon

1 becoming law.".